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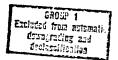
2. The purpose of the meeting was to review the need to replace the existing electronic equipment (used for on-line mensuration purposes) with new electronic equipment as proposed or planned by IEG in FY-72. Reliability of the equipment was cited as the most important factor related to the proposed replacement.	STAT STAT
3. A thorough discussion of reliability occurred, based upon information provided by the ESD/EPB representative. This discussion	STAT
resulted in an agreement that the equipment is sufficiently reliable	STAT

and maintainable to remain in operational use for an extended period of time. Obsolescence was estimated to be five years hence. In order to provide a "hedge" against unforeseen circumstances IEG will budget for replacement of one 2 axis and one 4 axis ____unit (seven are in use) in FY-73 with replacement of the others spreading over the FY-74 thru 76 time frame. This is in lieu of the present plan to replace 5 units in FY-72. The situation will be reviewed periodically (ESD & IEG/TCB) during ensuing budgetary exercises to reconsider the need to replace the as stated above.

4. During this meeting a short discussion of the Digitized Measuring Light Table also occurred. In order to assist IEG in their decision regarding the need for an operational suitability evaluation of this device, a copy of ESD test and evaluation findings to date was requested. It was agreed that ESD would provide same.

5. In a discussion concerning comparators now under development, IEG requested that the 10 x 10 Comparator estimated for delivery in July 1971 be subjected to test and evaluation (by ESD) in a room which IEG will reserve for test and evaluation purposes and subsequent operational use. This was agreed to with the full understanding that T&E, de-bugging, etc., may require a substantial amount of time. It was also

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suggested that we further explore the possibility of an operational suitability evaluation of the 6 x 6 Comparator, now in final phases of T&E, in one of the operational divisions of TEG.

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